

# SIEMENS

PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 2003P14790WOUS

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Inventor:	Stefan Haaks et al.	)	Confirmation No:	5072
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Serial No.:	10/573,674	)	Examiner:	Elias Desta
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Filed:	Oct. 25, 2006	)	Group Art Unit:	2857
Title	METHOD AND DEVICE FOR DETERMINING THE CAUSES OF MALFUNCTIONS AND PERFORMANCE LIMITS IN INSTALLATIONS			

**Commissioner For Patents**  
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Sir:

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.114

In response to the Decision on Appeal mailed December 16, 2010, applicant respectfully submits the following amendments and remarks in connection with the above-identified application. The following are provided herewith:

**A Request for Continued Examination,  
Amendments to the Claims, and  
Remarks/Arguments.**